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Attention: Jeanine Goldberg - Examiner

Dear Sirs:

Re: UNITED STATES : Patent Application No. 09/680,208
Applicants: NovaNeuron Inc.
Title: GENE NECESSARY FOR STRIATAL FUNCTION, USES
THEREOF, AND COMPOUNDS FOR MODULATING SAME
Our File: 36541-0005

This is in response to the office action mailed July 10, 2002.

This response is filed concurrently with a request for an extension of time.

AMENDMENT

In the specification, please replace the paper copy and the computer readable of the sequence listing with the amended paper copy and computer readable copy of the sequence listing, enclosed.

REMARKS

No new matter is added by the present amendment.

The Patent has indicated that the application fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825.

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